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Applicant : FUNAKOSHI, Satoru
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May 18, 2004

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE
EXAMINER TO THE
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Dear Sir:

To the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner mailed November 20, 2003, rejecting the following claims: 1-8.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. Status of

This application is on behalf of ☒ other than a small entity or ☐ a small entity.

2. Fee for Filing Notice of Appeal

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(b), the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is for: ☒ other than a small entity or ☐ a small entity.

Notice of Appeal Fee due: \$330.00

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02 FC:1253 950.00 DA

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3. Extension of Time

- ☒ Petition for a three-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$950.00.
- ☐ An extension for has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of is deducted from the total fee due for the total amounts of extension now requested.
- ☐ that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

Extension fee due with this request: \$950.00

4. Total Fee Due

The total fee due is:

Notice of Appeal Fee	\$330.00
Extension Fee (if any)	\$950.00

Total Fee Due: \$1,280.00

5. Fee Payment

- ☐ Attached is a check in the sum of \$.
- ☒ Charge Account No. 06-1135 the sum of \$1,280.00, under Order No. 7372/72577. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

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6. Fee Deficiency

- If any additional fee is required in connection with this communication, charge Account No. 06-1135. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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